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# ORGENTHAU PLEADS FOR HELPING HAND IN THE NEAR EAST

mer Ambassador to Turkey ays America Should Not Let Armenian Allies Starve.

### BY HENRY MORGENTHAU. Ambassador to Turkey and Leader in Near East Relief.

they were good enough to fight die for us when we meeded the so sorely, they are good enough to share some meager little als from our plenty when they nothing, when hundreds of thouof them are homeless, unclud, dess and threatened with extermiin by their enemies and our own he far from a million Christians been murdered by their Turkish smors. Hungry, terror stricken strads of thousands of refugees slook to the United States for suc

#### Have Trust In America.

a cannot refuse. Next to their in God is their trust in the dis ested good will and geterosity of



our material equipment, have been leaven in the Near East, Because we have done well is times past we have this great opportunity for the present. The Armenians have been treated as perhaps to people in history have been treated because they are the spiritual brothers of western races.

Will America help them? There can he but one answer. Their neces sity is dire, but our power is great. We are wealthy. We are a member of the family of nations. Our brothers suffering called for succor the plight of the Armenian aboutd be beeded now. A few moonths more and it many be retief will be too late for theose yard and paying the bills. marinels shorn only we can save. We shall not fall them,

# IN HIGH PLACES

#### By Walt Mason.

I have bought a grand plane and a mumptuous sedan, and a lot of other dooda.ds, on the monthly payment plan. On each thing I paid a dollar, and I'll pay a monthly bone, till ti'm laid away and slooping underneath a sagging stone. It is true I didn't need them, and I haven't coin to burn, but I see may neighbors blowing every kepeck that they ears, and if they can have planes and fine motors and such stuff, I will go as far as they do, though it makes the sledding tough. Every month I'll pay a dellar on the junk I do not need, till I limp around "on crutches and my whiskers go to seed; and when I have crossed the river to the shining golden shore. I will still be owing money to the Jing installiment store. And I fear the recollection will destroy my peace of mind, when I have a harp before me and a pair of wings bebind. But my neighbors, they keep blawing every rouble, every red, and I'd be a sort of piker if I let them get shand; so I'm buying cirous wagons, and I'm buying costly gems, and my wife is wearing sables and has diamond diadems. and I bought the whole cabood Le on the monthly payment plan, and I'm riding to the poorhouse in a super-eight sedan. -- Copyright, 1019. (By special permission to Saving: Division, Treasury Depart-



You know how it feels to get a in stores, who carry the mails, who call us Food, cisthes, money, are in- Christmas present the day after deliver the goods, so that their layou've forgotten all about Christmas instead of being crowded into a few. save taking the tree out into the back This means of course, that we must

ing.

than late," and when you stick on a warning-"Don't Open Until Christmas"-you make it a real Christmas gift, albeit it arrives at its destination a day, or a week ahead of time. Uncle Sam's leter carriers, deliv-

cry men of stores, postmesters all can and women who sell and carry Christ Christmas postal rush, and insuring Pasture of Aged Equines. mas gifts. Let us this Christmas extend our and gone,

supply of that pleasing Christmas In short, plain language, Do It

A PIONEER OF 1846-

Wednesday night. IF's det'h follow- gon Indian wars. ed a stroke of paralysis some days In October 1869, L. M. Hall was

egon with his parents in 1846 from M-y. They have had eight children our achievement-living 400 years? cember 29th to January 3rd. Eureau county, Illinois, where he was Mrs. Ada Davidson who died some born November 20th, 1839. A part servinge: Mrs. Clare Stover of Welof the company who made the tr'p ser, Maho; Mrs. Anny Herren of Mon party which separated from the oth- Miss Opal of New York: Mrs. Claud ers and died of hardships in the Sier- Skinner of Independence and Miss 118. The Halls reached Oregon safe- Erma Hall, Mr. Hall was prominent he was it years of ago, and he preo ily and wintered at Elkton in the Um- omone the damo mote of Polk county pqua Valley region. In 1847 the fath was sheriff from 1878 to 1882. He er, Reason B. Hall located a donation was an Odd Fellow and a Mason and the founder of that town and his fam- 'o mourn his denarture .- Herald.

Christmas, or the week after, when bors may be spread over several days do our shopping early, as early as The time to get your present is possible, when salespeople have the on Christmas morning, and by the most time to talk over with us the same token the time for the other best bargains and most appropriate other fellow to get yours is that morn gifts, and when the supply of gifts

stores is fresest, newest, largest, thus But in any event it is better "early giving the widest range of selection Don't be a Last Minute Shopper if you can be an Early Shopper, early in the Christmas shopping season, for those are the best shopping hours

delivery before Christmas has come

spirit to include the men and women Now!

L. M. HALL IS DEAD were martial race. Reason's father a Georgian, fought in the Revolution

under General Greene. Reason B. occurred at his home in Monmouth on and Lawrence Hall served in the Ore-

ago, Funeral services will be held married to Laura E. Watson of Misat the home of Claud Sciencer in In- souri, who died in 1863. They have dependence at 11 r. m. Schurday, a daughter living. Mrs. Jasper Miller living. It is given us for Doing. week just completed is expected to Mr. Hall was and of the eldest re- of Portland. In October 1864, Mr. sidents of Polk county. He came to Hall was married to Mrs. Rachel the end that was the sum total of others interested to the college De-

### WANT TO LIVE TOO MANY YEARS? 400 COMMENCERS

Enterprise

LIFE IS INTENDED FOR MORE MORE THAN MERE LIVING-IT IS GIVING US FOR DOING

Senor Louis J. Abitia, Mexican lecturer and philosopher, has come into says man can live 400 years just as ed."

easily as he now manages to exist through his allotted 3-score and ten oil can, got the thought foundry All one must do to attain the modern Methuselah age is to eat nothing but vegetable food, chiefly raw rice and oats.

ed the fact that the horse lives upon : up by the million but few reach maa diet consisting largely of raw oats, early in the week, early in the day, a few ears of raw corn and such vegetable roughage as hay and straw Before they take a practical form we And, having been an Early Shop- will give the body. The horse's bill discard them for new ones. tell you of the gifta-that-arrive-too- per, be an Early Mailer. Get your of fare, is according to the doctrine late. And it is these late arrivals gift for Uncle, Aunt, Friend, Ac- of Abitia long life, is ideal for 400 that make the last few days before quaintance, whoever it is, wrapped, years. But whoever heard of a horse Christmas, and especially Chrismas addressed, stamped, in the mails living a tenth of those years. At 20 eve, overburdened hours for the men early, thus, avoiding the extra heavy Dobbin is a likely candidate for the

Until some human being has lived 400 years on raw oats and rice the rest of mankind will continue doubting the human ability to do so.

And why should the human being want to live four centuries? Especily lived there for years. The Halls | ially on a diet of raw oats and rice! Can you imagine a more monotonous existence than one founded upon the absence of pie, cake, tederloin steak, man be a finisher! The death of Lawrence Marion Hall Hall was a veteran of the war of roast beef, fried chicken, ham and familiarly known as "Lark" Hall, 1812 and of the Black Hawk war, eggs, and wheat cakes for breakfast? No, friends and fellow citizens, the FARMERS' WEEK OPENS real goal in human life should not be

the mere selfish collection of days, months and years.

THE MORTALITY RATE AMONG IDEAS IS WAKE-UP-STAY WITH IT, DON'T CHANGE

We've found it pays. We scan the "Wants" regularly.Opportunity lurks quite a bit of publicity by announc- there. The other day we noticed ing a new scheme of longevity. He the abundance of "Finishers Want-

> Idea! We yanked out the mental working and made a discovery. This nation lacks finishers.

Americans are commencers. We're always "starting something" in this The senor seems to have overlook- land of the free. Infant ideas,spring turity. Before they attain their majority,we drop the majority of them

> The mortality rate among ideas is way up. Only a few lucky ones live to grow beards. It's simply because we're a nation of starters in need of more finishers. We speak commercially. Our military reputation speaks for itself.

> Stay with it, when you get your big inspiration. When limitations loom up before your business, don't make a change-make a determinat tion to overcome the limitations and stick till you do.

> The minister's a joiner, the presid dent's a cabinet-maker-let every

# DECEMBER 29TH END 3RD.

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Complete program in home econom Life is intended for more than mere ics for Farmers' and Homemakers' What if we lived 400 years and at bring hundreds of farmers' wives and

might by Underwood & Underwood HENRY MORGENTHAU.

Mamerican people. They look to us to from the frightful situation in Wh they have been left as a couseince of the war.

live should fall to aid them, starvait and the winter's cold would go far completing the work done by the Apeakable Turk.

lhave not seen with may own eyes a mimery in which the Armenians Wexist. I have been spared that. hist and by representatives of the he Conference paint a picture of Inchedness inconceivable to those to have not a first hand impression the an vagery of the Mussulman.

### Exiled From Homes.

Mare the beginning of the war the habit of thrift. a ceased, they are still living the Manth ropy.

Tiese homeleas people-"fithy infha" to the Turk-were good enough a stert their poor might in our behif while the war was still in the Misnee. Massacres of a half century It not no broken their spirit that by dared not fight for right and for funeracy when justice was the issue, " accepted their aid then. Surely per cont, left no estate at all. Save. " shall not passe them by without Expansion new.

the consideration of his neighbor's Save he being. No honorable man can horingly allow his neighbor to hunto so unclothed. The Christian MONEY TO LOAN-FEDERAL ples of the Near East are our Wilbors. The money needed to rethe them can be spared without he any man, woman or child in & Dates States to suffer.

Must Not Reat on Past. hother years of our own free will tient missionaries to Tarkey. Our Ricola and colleges and hospitals Treasurer. are played a wonderful role in huhanding that dark spot in the world. le ideas, our educational resources,

HABIT

Ben Frasklin is our great example of thrift. He wrote more on it and wrote it better than any other man we know. He began practicing thrift when the human agency to extricate ticed it and wrote on it all his life. He became the richest man in Amer-les in his day, richest not only in money but in heath, brains, santis, good cheet, influence. He was a scieptist, a busmash man, a linguist, a diplomat and a philosopher. He siways

paid his way. He founded the Univerally of Pennsy Ivanis, founded the first public library in America, organized an Insurance company, pretty nearly cap the reports which have been mrod the lightnings, invented specwhit in by agonts of the Near East tacles, manufactured the first cook stove, went to France and borrowed money on which Washington fought the War of the Revolution; and the basis of all the strength and excellence or Benjamin Franklin lay in the faot that very early in life he acquired the

arkish Armenians have been largely "Thefft is a habit. A habit is a Marces from their homes. A sleeple thing you do unconscionaly or auto Wenitural people, they have been matically without thought. We are the from their farms, deprived of ruled by our habits. When habits are opportunity to support themselves. young they are like lion cubs, soft, he by year their sufferings have in- fluffy funny frolleson little snimals. thesed. Now, a year after fighting They grow day by day. Eventually they rule you. Choose ye this day the the of mounds, able to continue to habit ye would have rule over you. the alive only by virtue of American The habit of thrift is simply the habit which distates that you shall earn more than you spand. In other words, thrift is the habit that provides that you spend loss than you earn. Take your oholes."-Elbert Hubbard. Start now. Buy W. S. S.

In one year : 7,011 adults died in New York county, Of these, 23,051, or \$3,3

Of the widows in the United States he day has passed when any self over 65 years of age, 31 per cent are Mosting man dares permit absorp without many of the necessities of life, 90 per cent without the comforts of life

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FARM LOANS AT 51/2 %

If you need money this fall, file your application new. Loans made in Polk, Yamhill, Marlon, Benton and Lincolu counties. For particulars write to E. K. Piascki, Secretary-

> DALLAS NATIONAL PARM LOAN ASSOCIATION.



Of what benefit would that be to the world? None, absolutely mone. It were better to have lived 40 years of eryday life. With a view to reducfrom Illinois was the famous Donner mouth: Miss Dorn Hall, at home; a life crowded with achievement than ing the H. C. of L. for xample, Miss to have dragged through 400 years A. Grace Johnson, professor of of an existence de licated to keeping life in the body,

> History has written down name after name of men who in less than 40 years did more, and greater things than Methuselah accomplished in all his hundred of years.

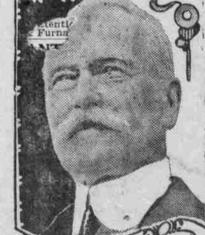
This does not mean that we should make no endeavor to live long; as long as we are useful to the world. Rather does it mean that our goal should be something more and higher than the accumulation of years.

. There are men who have lived 400 years in less than 80. These are the men who have quickened the stream of progress, civilization, democracy, humanity, justice, which has carried a world from the darkness of Mehoselah's time to the brightness of our day.



The busy bee is no busier than Father has to be these times of H. C. L

MICHIGAN MAN MAY GET CABINET POST



Edward F. Sweet, from Grand Rapids. Mich., may be a member of President Wilson's cabinet. He is now acting chief of the Department of Commerce since the resignation of Secretary Redfield. but which has not been accepted officially as yet.

special point is being made of topics with a practical application to evhousehold administration, will discuss "Teaching Thrift in the Home."

Tuesday morning W. F. Gaskins, head of the department of music. will speak on "Music in the Home." This will be followed by demonstration of cookery by Henry Thiele, Wed nesday morning "Child Care" will be discussed by Mrs. Sara W. Prentiss, instructor in household science,"Rural Sanitation" will be taken up by Prof. G. V. Copson of the department of bacteriology. Dr. B. W. DuBusk of University of Oregon, will speak on "Child Welfare."

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"Adaptation of Commercial Patterns" by Edmund Gurney of Portland is the first subject for Thursday morning. "Camouflage Applied to Woman's Dress" by Helen Lee Davis, professor of household art, is is expected to attract considerable attention. School luncheons will be discussed by Miss Winnona Cruise, instructor in household science.

Friday morning program will start with the thrift talk by Miss Johnson Miss Hellen McFall, formerly of Port land will tell how to renovate hats. Edmund Gurney will tell of "Clothing Knowledge Which is Useful in Evory Home," Mrs. Ida A. (Mother" Rider will speak on "Reading in the Home" Saturday morning, Child study will be discussed by Prof. J. F. Brumbaugh, professor of psychology, and story telling by Miss Norma Olson, instructor in dramatic art and expression.

